

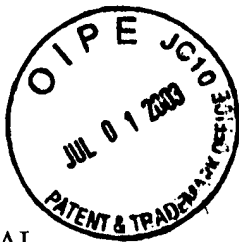
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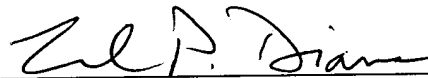
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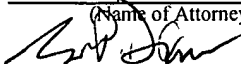
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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document submitted herewith, an Office Action (and English translation) which issued in a Chinese counterpart of the present application.


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